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In response to the Notice Regarding Power of Attorney, dated July 10, 2003, enclosed are the following:

- 1. Copy of Power of Attorney, Revocation, and Change of Correspondence address which was previously filed June 20, 2003;
- 2. Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) with attachments; and
- 3. Postcard

Respectfully submitted,

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